

## AMENDMENT A

[0001] This application claims priority from commonly owned U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/273,190 entitled "HTML – Based Applications for Support of Complex Transactions," filed March 2, 2001 and U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/316,773, entitled "Meta Language Control of Complex Network Applications," filed August 31, 2001. The disclosures of these two provisional patent applications are incorporated herein by reference.

[0002] This application is related to co-pending U.S. Patent Application No. 60/10/040,397, entitled "Customization of Tab-order Functionality in Internet Applications," co-pending U.S. Patent Application No. 60/10/041,034, entitled "Customization of Client-Server Interaction in an Internet Application," co-pending U.S. Patent Application No. 60/10/035,413, entitled "Customization of Immediate Access and HotKey Functionality in an Internet Application User Interface," co-pending U.S. Patent Application No. 10/165,623, entitled "System and Method for Automatic Generation of HTML Based Interfaces Including Alternative Layout Modes," and co-pending U.S. Patent Application No. 60/10/041,015, entitled "Customization of User Interface Presentation in an Internet Application User Interface."